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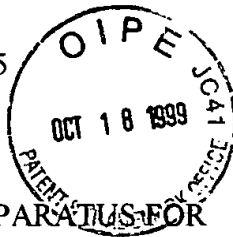
Applicant(s): John Humphries Parkes

Application No.: 09/392,925

Filed: 9/9/1999

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ROCKET MOTOR DISPOSAL

Attorney Docket No.: JHP-10-5377



Group Art Unit: 3641

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
Attention: Box Missing Parts

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f). Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

(x) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration.

(x) Statutory basic filing fee (x) Utility = \$380.00 ( ) Design

( ) Additional claim fees of \$

(x) Missing Parts Surcharge = \$65.00

(x) Signed verified small entity declaration

( ) A Petition for Extension of Time for reply to Notice of Missing Parts is attached.  
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Date OCT 13, 1999

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Respectfully submitted,

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Amendment/Response Transmittal

IBM Docket No. JHP-10-5377

In re application of: Parkes

Serial No. 09/392,925

Filed: September 9, 1999

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ROCKET MOTOR DISPOSAL**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified Application are an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and references.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500645. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the **SURCHARGE** set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☒ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a  
☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 899.00.

- ☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☒ missing.  
☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$ 100.00 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

- ☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ total claims over 20.

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ independent claims over 3.

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

*Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.*

- ☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ Is missing or unsigned.
- ☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

**An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1. 63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.**

- ☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*

- ☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

**An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.**

- ☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

- ☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

- ☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.52(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

- ☐ 9. OTHER:

**Direct the reply and any questions about this notice to "Attention: Box Missing Parts."**

***A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.***

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\*\*CONTINUING DOMESTIC DATA\*\*\*\*\*

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NONE

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\*\*371 (NAT'L STAGE) DATA\*\*\*\*\*

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NONE

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\*\*FOREIGN APPLICATIONS\*\*\*\*\*

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